

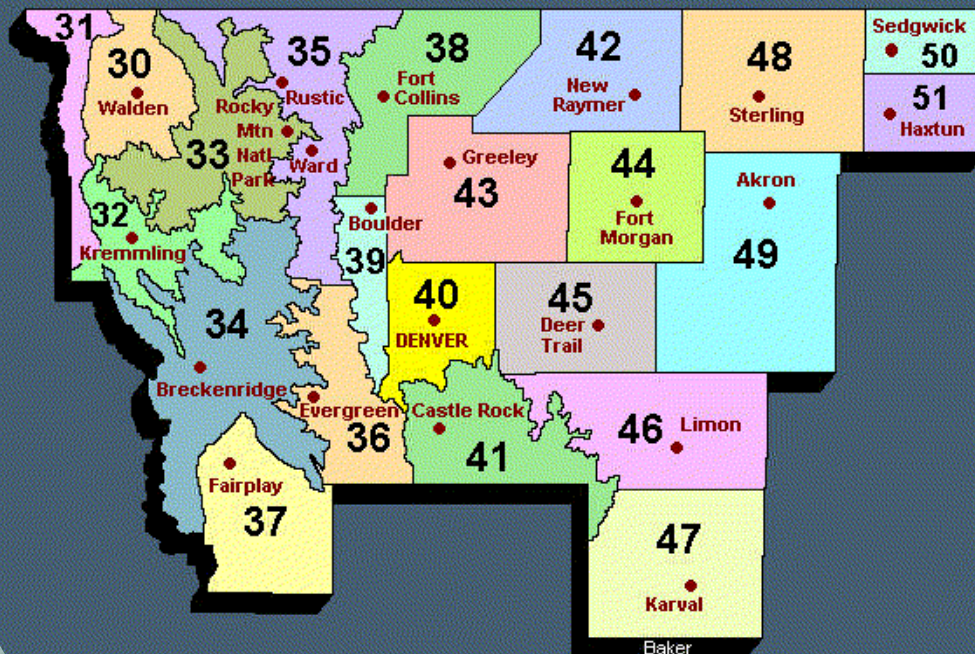


# Weather Outlook: February 20-22 for Northeastern Colorado

Updated: 8:30pm 2-20-2015



## Forecast Zones for Northeast and North Central Colorado



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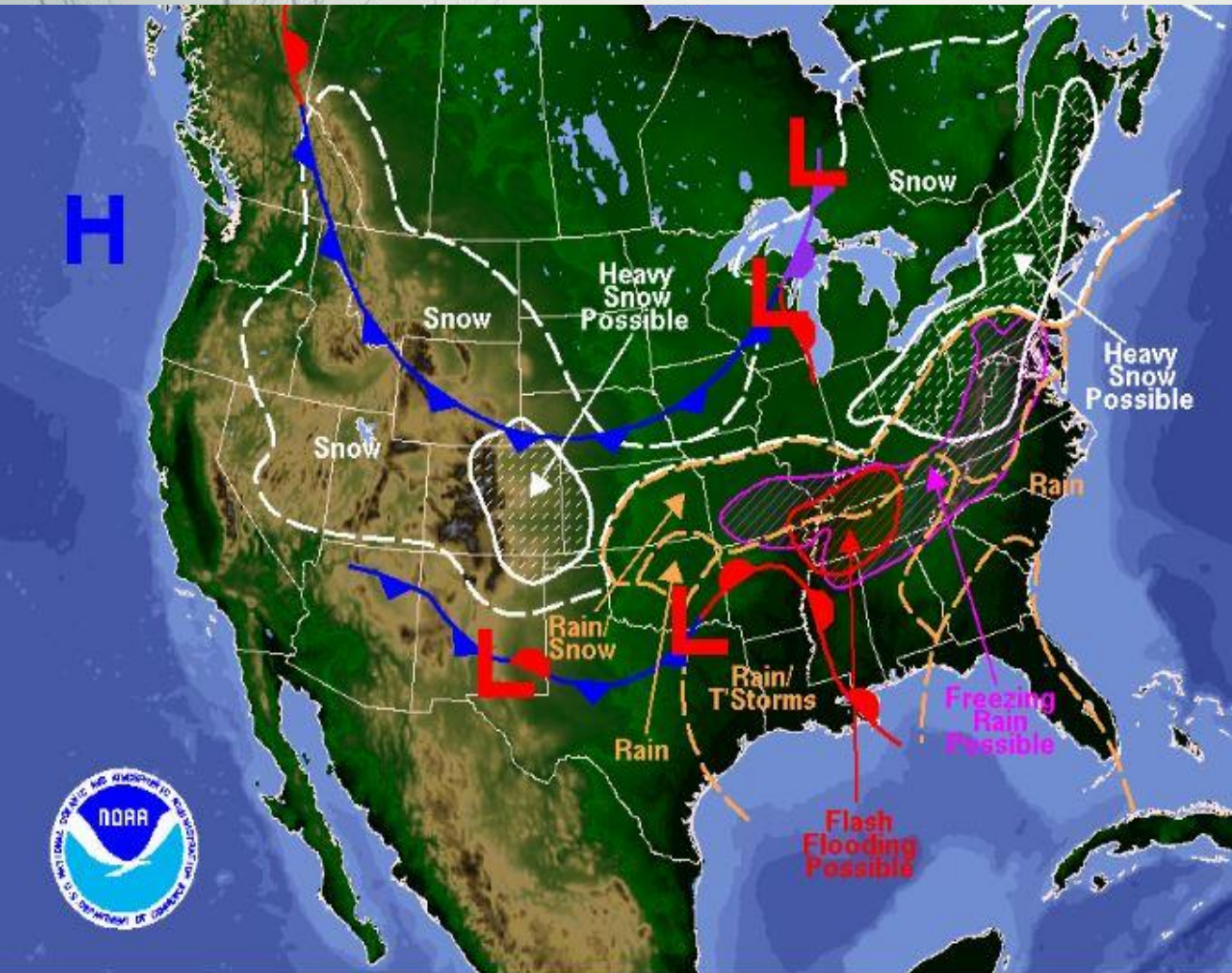


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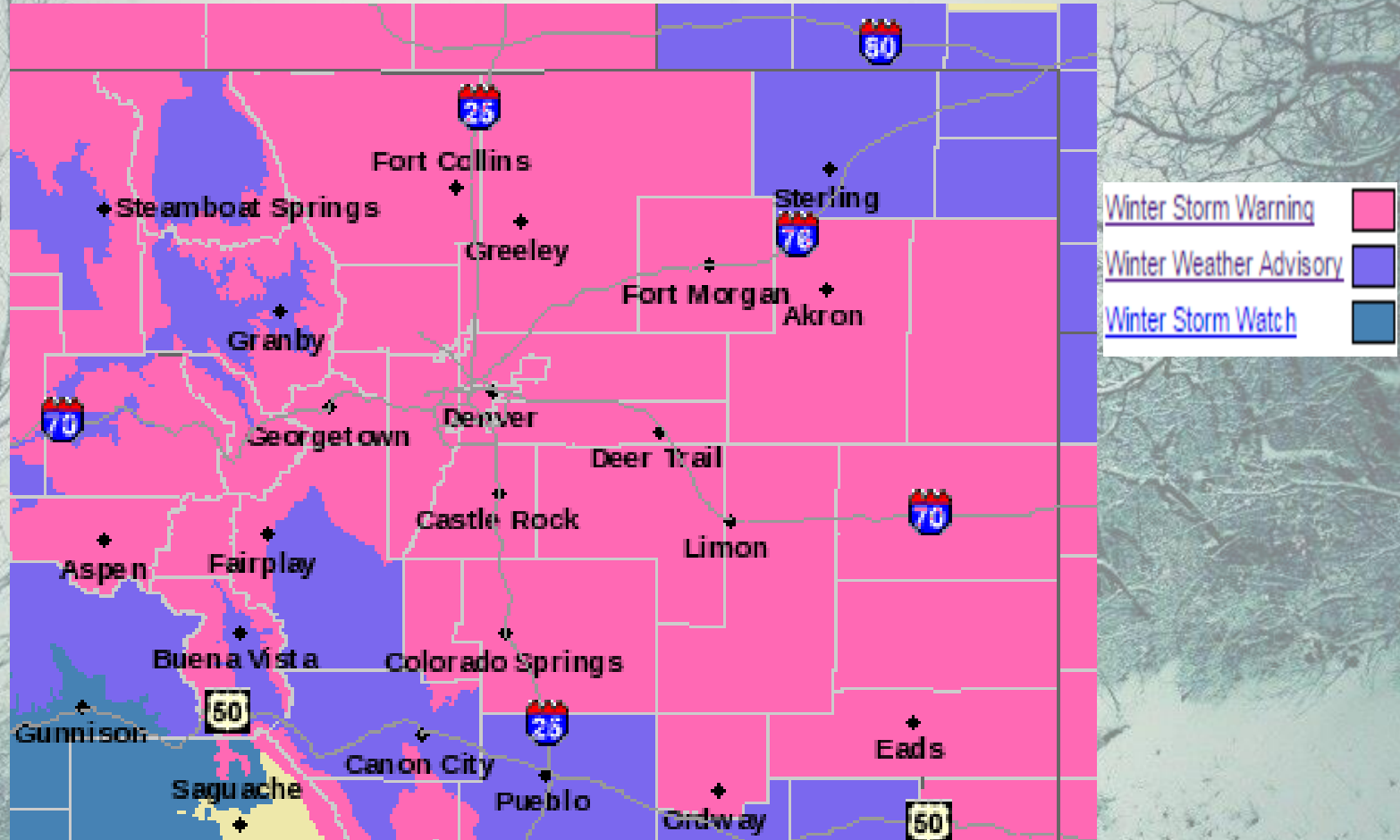


# Surface Chart for 5am Sunday Feb 22nd



- Long Duration Snow Event this Weekend
- Scattered Snow Showers through Saturday Morning
- Arctic Cold Front arrives Saturday afternoon
- Upslope Develops and Snow increased Behind Front
- Heaviest snow Saturday Afternoon & Saturday Evening
- Much Colder
- Snow Covered Roads
- Hazardous Travel

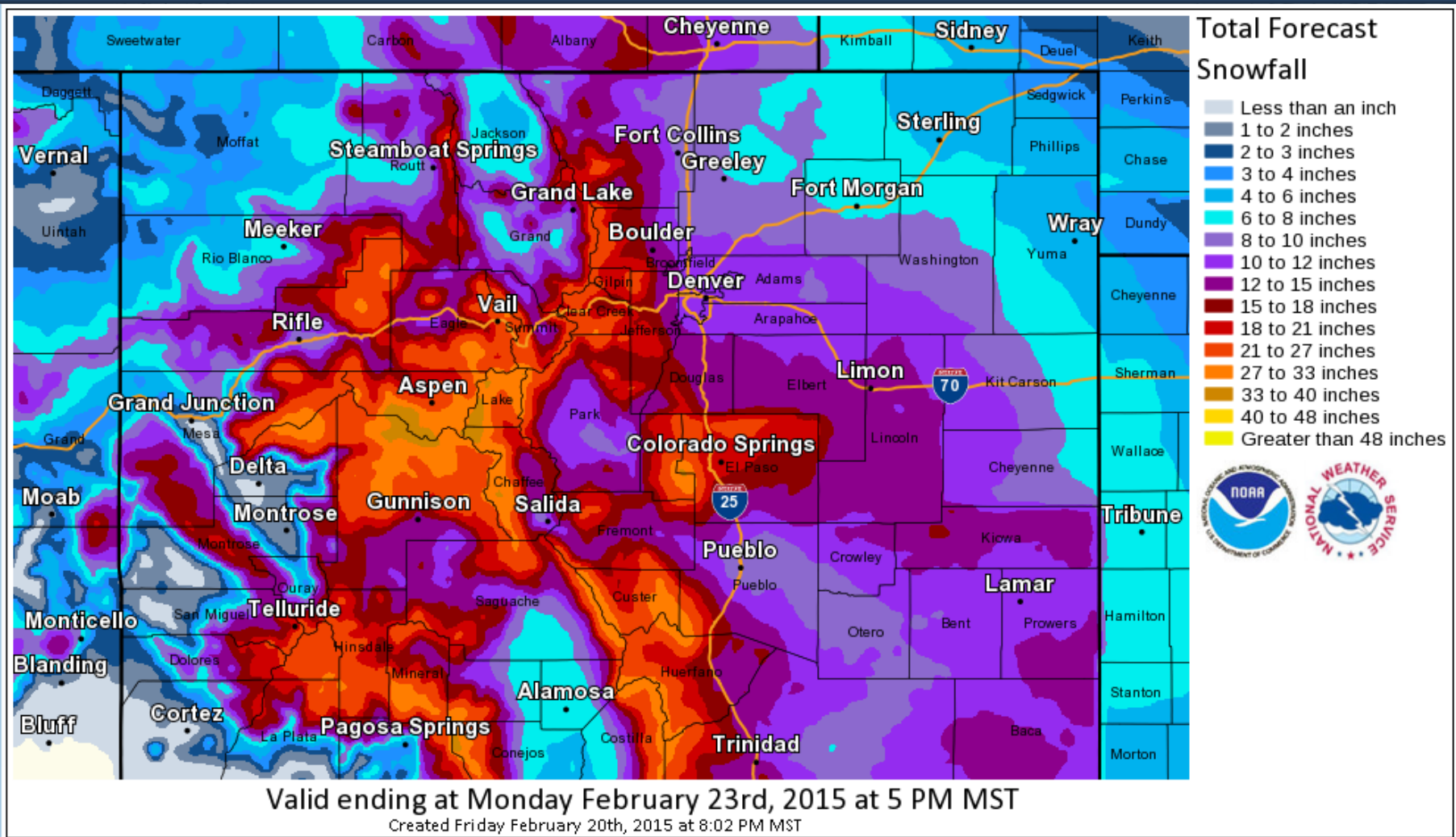
# Winter Storm Warnings & Advisories



- Winter Storm Warning through Sunday in the Mountains.
- Winter Storm Warning for the Plains, Foothills, I-25 corridor, & Palmer Divide starts 11 am Saturday, and continues through 5 pm Sunday
- Winter Weather Advisory far northeast plains & high mountain valleys



# Snow amounts through Sunday Night

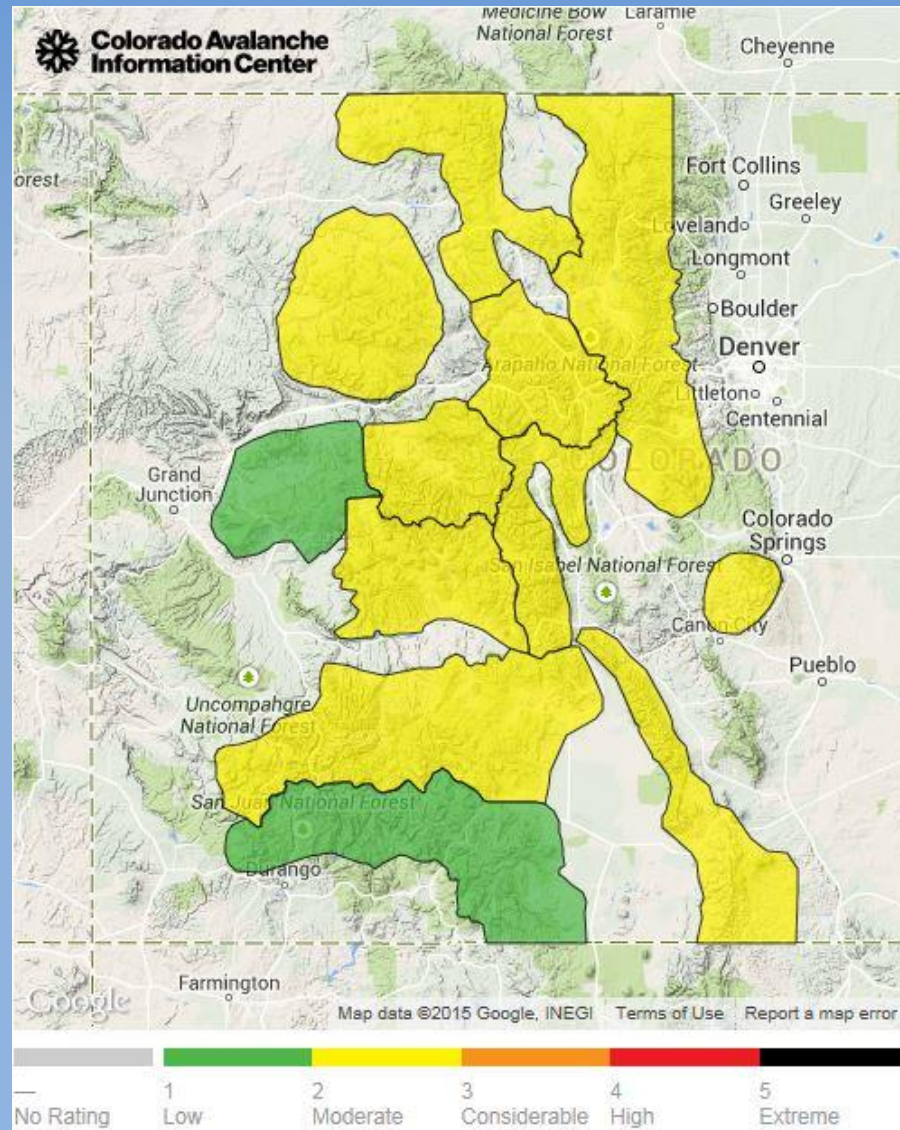


- Heaviest snowfall Saturday afternoon & Evening, but snow continues through Sunday!
- Amounts will be updated through the NWS Denver/Boulder webpage and social media  
[fb.com/NWSBoulder](https://www.facebook.com/NWSBoulder) or [@NWSBoulder](https://twitter.com/NWSBoulder)

## Backcountry Hazards for this weekend:

Look for avalanche danger to rise through Saturday and continue over the weekend as the incoming storm starts to pile up snow.

- **Saturday: Considerable**  
Dangerous avalanche conditions. Cautious route-finding and conservative decision-making essential.
- With continuing snowfall through the weekend, be ready for a rise in avalanche danger.
- [www.avalanche.state.co.us](http://www.avalanche.state.co.us)
- @CAICstate,
- @CAICfrontrange,
- @CAICsummit





# What if I am traveling this weekend?

- **High Country including I-70:**
  - Chains & Adequate snow tires required
  - Hazardous travel
  - Temporary road closures possible
- **Plains:**
  - Tonight - Variable Travel Conditions – Icy Spots
  - Saturday – Slushy conditions become icy and snow covered by Afternoon & Evening
- If you must travel this weekend allow yourself extra time for travel.

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# Winter Travel Safety

## Know Before You Go!



### *A well equipped vehicle has:*

Adequate tires • Tire Chains • Sand/Cat litter • Tool Kit • Windshield scraper • Battery Cables • Flashlight • Extra Batteries • Blankets • Candles • Waterproof matches • Water • High calorie snacks • Empty can to melt snow

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